GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Industries & Commerce Department – Misuse and diversion of coal by M/s G.V Chemicals, Narsingapuram, Chittoor- Disciplinary action against Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, Tirupathi and 2 others - Common Inquiry Conducted- Charges framed- Imposed the punishment of "Stoppage of one Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect and recovery of an amount of Rs.13,51,000/-" against Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, Tirupathi, Chittor District vide G.O.Rt.No.233, Ind & Com (Vig) Dept., dt.01.12.2020- Punishment set aside - Orders – Issued.

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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.202 Dated:09/12/2022

Read the following:

1. From the GA (V&E) Deptt, Vigilance Report No.96, (C.No.877/V&E/NR2/2003) dt.25.08.2004.
2. G.O.Rt.No.233, Ind & Com (Vig) Dept., dt.01.12.2020.
3. Orders of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.15043 of 2021 dt.09.08.2021.
4. From the DOI, Lr.No.40/1/2004/0358/0358, dt.17.08.2022.

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ORDER:

Based on the Vigilance Report No.96 received from the GA (V&E) Deptt., dt.25.08.2004 vide reference 1st read above, Government conducted common enquiry against (3) charged officers involved in the case including Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, Tirupathi, Chittor District who are responsible for negligence and irregularity committed by the Unit, M/s G.V Chemicals, Chittor in having mis-utilised the coal allotted to them.

2. Whereas in the reference 2nd read above, after following due procedure, Government imposed the punishment of stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect and recovery of an amount of Rs.13,51,000/- from Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, DIC, Chittoor District.

3. Whereas in the reference 3rd read above, the Hon'ble A.P High Court has issued orders dt.09.08.2021 setting aside the orders issued vide G.O.Rt.No.233, Industries & Commerce (Vigilance) Department, dated.01.12.2020 and remanded the matter to the State Government for fresh consideration of the issue after taking into account the explanation offered by the petitioner on 30.12.2013.

4. Whereas in the reference 4th read above, the Director of Industries while examining the explanation of Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, Tirupathi dt.30.12.2013 and additional representation dt.25.08.2021 has furnished his remarks for fresh consideration of the Government as per the orders dt.09.08.2021 of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in W.P.No.15043 of 2021.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby set aside the orders issued vide G.O.Rt.No.233, Ind & Com (Vig) Dept., dt.01.12.2020 imposing the punishment of "stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect and recovery of an amount of Rs.13,51,000/-" against Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, Tirupathi.

6. The Director of Industries shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri P.Yesudas, the then IPO, DIC, Chittor District (through the DOI, Mangalagiri)
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The Secretary, A.P Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Secretary, APPSC, New Government Offices Building,
2nd Floor, MG Road, Punnamathota, Labbipet, Vijayawada
The Director General, GA (V&E) Department, PNBS, Vijayawada.
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